

## Message Text

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FM AMEMBASSY TOKYO

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 8785

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: SENV, JA

SUBJ: JAPAN INLAND SEA OIL SPILL

1. REASONS FOR OIL LEAK AT MIZUSHIMA HAVE NOT YET BEEN DETERMINED. GOJ FORMED INTER-MINISTERIAL SURVEY TEAM WHICH HAS COMPLETED FIELD WORK AND IS NOW PREPARING REPORT ON CAUSES. FOUR OR FIVE CAUSES, INCLUDING DEFECTS IN WILDING AND GROUND SUBSIDENCE, HAVE BEEN ADVANCED, BUT OFFICIAL DETERMINATION MUST AWAIT REPORT, WHICH IS DUE SOON.

2. EMBASSY HAS REQUESTED COPY OF REPORT WHEN AVAILABLE AND WILL FORWARD TRANSLATED ABSTRACT OR SUMMARY TO DEPARTMENT.  
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